

Jammu & Kashmir (Contd.)

5. Bargaon
6. Anantnag
7. Pulwama
8. Kathva
9. Dodra
10. Udhampur
11. Rajouri
12. Poonch

Manipur

1. Churachandpur
2. Moren (Chandel)
3. Thoubal
4. Bishnupur
5. Lilong

Meghalaya

1. Jowai
2. Nongstoin
3. William Nagar
4. Tura

Mizoram

1. Lunglei
2. Saiha (Chhimtuipui)

Nagaland

1. Zunheboto
2. Wokha
3. Mokokchung
4. Tuensang
5. Mon

Sikkim

1. Mongan
2. Gangtok
3. Namachi
4. Geyzing

Tripura

1. Dharam Nagar (North Tripura)
2. Udaipur (South Tripura)

Garhwal & Kumaon Region (UP)

1. Chamoli
2. Tehri
3. Uttar Kashi
4. Tehri-Garhwal
5. Almora
6. Nainital
7. Pithoragarh

Oil Selection Board

1942. SHRI P.C. THOMAS : Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state :

(a) whether the Oil Selection Board of LPG agencies and petrol pumps are not functioning in various areas;

(b) the details of such regions or areas where such selection bodies are not functioning with details as to the date from which they ceased to function;

(c) whether new selection boards are appointed in these states;

(d) if so, the details therefor;

(e) whether there are many areas in the country where people are denied opportunity even to apply for LPG cooking gas connection; and

(f) if so, the steps taken to remove this grievances?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS (SHRI T.R. BAALU) :
(a) Yes, Sir.

(b) Operation of all the 17 Oil Selection Boards continues to be in abeyance since the announcement of the General Election for Lok Sabha in March, 1996.

(c) No, Sir.

(d) Does not arise.

(e) No, sir. Anybody can book on LPG connection with the LPG distributor of his area.

(f) Does not arise.

North Bengal Master Plan

1943. KUMARI MAMATA BANERJEE : Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state :

(a) the progress made so far for the development of North Bengal, Master Plan;

(b) the estimated cost and funds made available therefor;

(c) the target period of completion;

(d) whether the Government have received any